

號七十四百九千六第 日三初月二年辰庚緒光 HONGKONG, SATURDAY, MARCH 13TH, 1880. 六拜禮 號三十月三英 港香 [PRICE \$24 PER MO

## INTIMATIONS

OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY.  
 FOR SHANGHAI, VIA AMOY,  
 Taking Cargo and Passengers at through rates  
 for HANIOU and FORTS on the YANGTZE.  
 THE Company's Steamship.

"DEUCALION"  
 Captain R. J. Brown, will be despatched TO  
 SHANGHAI, ON the 14th instant at Daylight.  
 For Freight or Passage, apply to  
 BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents,  
 Hongkong, 12th March, 1880. 1393

NOTICE.

BEFORE to prevent any disputes, the Under-  
 signed has hereby to give notice that he  
 will not hold himself RESPONSIBLE for any  
 DEBTS contracted in his Name by any person  
 or persons belonging to his family or clan.  
 WONG MO T-Z TOY.  
 12th Ward, Western Suburb of the  
 City of Canton.  
 Canton 12th March, 1880. 13452

THE CHINESE INSURANCE COM-  
 PANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

NOTICE is hereby given that the NINTH  
 ORDINARY MEETING of the SHARE-

at the Race Office, Victoria, Hongkong, at  
THURSDAY, the 8<sup>th</sup> March, 1880, at 3 1/2 o'clock,  
for the purpose of electing the Secretary of  
the Directors, together with a Statement of  
Accounts for the Year, 1879.

THE DIRECTORS OF THE BOOKS of the Company  
will BE HEARD from 10 o'clock on March to the 22<sup>nd</sup>  
March, both days inclusive.

By Order of the Board.  
**J. BRADLEE SMITH,**  
Secretary.

Hongkong, 11<sup>th</sup> March, 1880. [340]

**WANTED—A SITUATION as NURSE**  
or MAID to a Lady going to England  
or New York. Address P. H., Office of this  
Paper.

Hongkong—8<sup>th</sup> March, 1880. [343]

**NOTICE.**

**LADIES or GENTLEMEN** wishing to become  
SUBSCRIBERS to a "PEAKING RACE"  
will please send forth their applications. Address  
J. B. LEE, Esq., 10, Queen's Road, West,  
Hongkong 8<sup>th</sup> March, 1880. [344]

**DYNAMITE, FUSES, DETONATORS,**  
&c., from  
**NORRÉL'S EXPLOSIVE CO., LIMITED,**

can be had in any quantity on application to  
THE BORNEO CO., LIMITED.  
Agents,  
Hongkong, 9th March, 1889. [429]

NOTICE.

M<sup>R</sup>. G. GUARNIERI, having made contracts  
with a number of Gentlemen, intends  
to remain in Hongkong, and offers his Services  
to the Public for LESSONS on the PIANO-  
FORTE, in SINGING, and MUSIC GENERALLY.  
60, WYNDHAM STREET.

DENTAL NOTICE.

D<sup>R</sup>. HOGGESS leaves Hongkong on the 1st  
of April for Shanghai, at which port he will  
remain during the summer.  
Hongkong, 17th February, 1889. [89]

CHINA TRADERS' INSURANCE COM-  
PANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE.

From this date, and during the absence of  
M<sup>R</sup>. W. H. RAY from this Colony, M<sup>R</sup>. B.  
GOLDSMITH has been appointed ACTING  
SECRETARY to the Company.  
H. H. NELSON,  
Chairman.  
Hongkong, 21st February, 1889. [10854]

HONGKONG AND WHAMPOA DOCK  
COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

CONTRIBUTING SHAREHOLDERS are requested to send in an Account of Business contributed during the half year ended 31st-December, 1879 on or before March 1st, on which date the accounts will be closed.

By Order of the Board of Directors:  
D. GILLIES,  
Secretary.

Hongkong, 21st February, 1880. 35

ANGOSTURA BITTERS.

MESSERS. DR. T. G. B. SEIGFRIED AND SONS, through their Sole Agents Messrs. KUNHEIM, HENDSCHERL & Co., London, hereby give notice that they are the Sole Inventors, Manufacturers, and Proprietors of the Celebrated

ANGOSTURA BITTERS, and that all Bitters made by them bear their signature and also a facsimile of both sides of the Metal granted at the Vienna exhibition of 1873.

All Bitters not made-by them and sold as "Angostura" are spurious, and all parties dealing therein will be prosecuted with the utmost rigour of the law.

SUB-AGENTS FOR HONGKONG,  
3851 JUSTUS LEMKE & Co.

WINSTONBURY REPEATING ARMS COMPANY, NEW HAVEN, CONN., U.S.A.

Manufacturers of the Celebrated Winchester Repeating Fire Arms, the Hotchkiss Gun and Metallic Cartridges of all descriptions.

Sole Agents for China and Japan, SCHMIDT & Co., Shanghai.

Gross Agents for Hongkong, BRUBENN & Co., Hongkong.

**A PHOTOGRAPHER**  
By Appointment to H.E. SIR ARTHUR KENNEDY, H.E. Admiral Kuper, and H.H. THE GRAND DUKE ALAN, of Russia, he has returned from the tour to Peking and the Northwest, has now the satisfaction to offer FINE, LARGE, CHOICE, and more COMPLETE COLLECTION OF VIEWS, than any other in the Empire. Among the principal places of greatest interest he has, at considerable cost and trouble added what has hitherto been an unapproachable mystery, "THE DRAGON THRONE," and solidifies an impression.

Photographs of the following places are also on view:—(ASTON), THE NORTH RIVER, HONG KONG, MACAO, SWATOW, AMOI, FOOSHU, FOKKING, CHEFOO, SHANGHAI, TIENTSIN, and many other places.

D. M. GARDNER holds authority to SIGN, PRINT, and DELIVER, in the name of the SIOAT, QUEEN'S ROAD.

Nearly opposite the Hoangkang Hotel.

**J. AND B. TENNENT'S SALE, AS PORTERS,**  
**DAVID CORSAE & SONS'**  
Merchandise  
Newly Boiled  
Long Tea  
Crown  
ANNHOLD, KARBERG & Co.  
Hongkong, 11th May, 1867. [2]

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**THE HOUSEHOLD COMPANION**  
**AND STUDENT'S FIRST ASSISTANCE.**  
By Dr. DEVLIN,  
With many Additions, Corrections,  
and Dr. WILLIAMS' Orthography.  
PRICE 1s.

In Paper Wrapper..... 12.50  
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Only at the **Dealy Press** China.







## MAILS EXPECTED

THE FRENCH MAIL.  
The next French mail steamer left  
on the morning of the 9th, and may be  
here on the 16th inst.

**POST-OFFICE NOTICE**  
A MAIL WILL CLOSE  
For Saigon.—To-day, the 13th instant, at 1.30 P.M.  
For Straits Settlements and Calcutta.—To-day, the 13th instant, at 2.30 P.M.  
For Saigon.—To-day, the 13th instant, at 2.30 P.M.  
For Manila.—Per Diamante, to-day instant, at 3.30 P.M.  
For Swatow, Amoy, and Foochow.—To-day, the 13th instant, at 4.30 P.M.

For Amoy and Suangnan. — Per *De*  
day, the 13th instant, at 5 P.M.  
For Bangkok. — Per *Rajanattianah*  
the 13th instant, at 5 P.M.  
For Heihow. — To-day, the 18th  
5 P.M.  
For Saigon. — To-morrow, the 14th  
9 A.M.  
For Yokohama, via Kobe. — Per *Su*  
on Friday, the 19th instant, at 5 P.M.

His Excellency the Governor is

Correspondence posted after certain Europe, America, the Australian Shanghai, &c., shall be 10 Cents, inas as hitherto.

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**MAILS BY THE FRENCH P.**  
The French Contract Packet "A" be despatched on WEDNESDAY, 1st March, with Mails to and through Kingdom and Europe, via Naples:

070 Straits Settlements, Batavia, Burma  
India (via Madras), Australia, New  
Zealand, Fijii, Aden, Suez, and Ale  
utians.

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The British Contract Packet "K  
HIND" will be despatched on WED  
nesday the 24th instant, with Mails to and  
from the United Kingdom and Europe, via  
the Straits Settlements, Batavia, Bu  
rma, India, Aden, Egypt, Malta, and  
This is the best opportunity for forwarding

response to Mauritius, E. Africa  
St. Helena, and Ascension.  
N.B.—This Packet carries no mail  
to Australian Colonies.

**HOURS FOR CLOSING THE C  
MAILS.**

**THE ENGLISH MAIL.**—DAY OF DE  
5 P.M., Money Order Office closes.  
5.30 P.M., Post Office closes till 8  
the night box, which is always  
office hours

8 P.M., Post Office opens.  
9 P.M., Registry of Letters ceases.  
all printed matter and patterns ceases.  
10 P.M., Mails closed, except for Late Letters.  
10.10 P.M., Letters may be posted.  
Fee of 10 cents until  
10.30 P.M., when the Post Office closes.  
10.40 P.M., Late Letters may be posted.  
The Packet with Late Fee of 18 cents.  
time of departure.  
THE FRENCH MAIL.—DAY BEFORE DEPARTURE.  
M. Gail.—DEPARTURE.

5 P.M., money (Post Office closes).  
 closes, except the night box, which  
 open out of office hours.

DAY OF DEPARTURE.

7 A.M., Post Office opens.  
 10 A.M., Registry of Letters ceases.  
 all printed matter and patterns ce  
 11 A.M., Mail closes, except for Late  
 11.10 A.M., Letters may be posted w  
 of 10 cents until  
 11.30 A.M., when the Post Office cl  
 11.40 A.M., Late Letters may be pos

the packet with Late Fee of 18  
time of departure.

**MAILS BY THE TORRES  
PACKET.**

The Australian Contract Packet  
will be despatched from Hongkong  
DAY, the 18th instant, with Mail  
pore, Thursday Island, Cooktown,  
Bay, Bowen, Keppel Bay, Brisbane,  
Tasmania, New Zealand, Fiji, and

12 Cent rates.  
Correspondence cannot be registered  
1.50 P.M.  
The Mails will be closed at 1.30 P.M.  
Complementary Mail on board with 10 Cent  
all time of departure.  
Correspondence for Southern and  
Australia can be sent by this route if  
as a general rule it is better to send  
it by the Mails.

**MAILS BY THE UNITED  
PACKET.**

PEKING" will be despatched on the 22nd March, with Mails for Francisco, the United States, Canada, Peru, &c., which will be closed as follows:—  
0.15 P.M. Registry ceases.  
\$15. 0.30 P.M. Post Office closes, but Letters (for Non-Union Countries) may be placed on board the Packet with Late Extra postage until the time of despatch.  
\$20. Correspondence for Non-Union Countries (except the Bahamas and Havre) must be placed on board the Packet on or before the 20th March.

Paraguay, and Uruguay, cannot be route.

**REGULATIONS AS TO SOLDIERS' ALPHABETIC LETTERS.**

1.—Privates in H.M. Army or commissioned Officers,\* Army S (not Superintending or First Class) mistresses may send half-ounce letters to the United Kingdom via Brindisi or via the rate of four cents (twopence) may be prepaid either in Imperial

2.—The same privileges apply to dressed to the Privates and Non-Officers named above.

3.—All such letters prepaid at the rate of two cents (one penny) will be forwarded from the United Kingdom by private and not by the mail packets.

4.—Private steamers leave Hong Kong about every ten days, and take about seven weeks on the voyage.

5.—The letters must not exceed 100 handkerchiefs, jewellery, &c., even with the ends open.

6.—If from a Soldier or Sailor, his description must be stated in full on the cover of which must be signed the commanding Officer, with name of regiment, &c., in full.

7.—If to a Soldier or Sailor, his description, with name of regiment, shall be stated in full.

8.—Soldiers and Sailors have

Correspondence for the West Indies (those belonging to the Postal Union, viz., Havana, and Hayti), for Monte Video and Uruguay can no longer be sent to Francisco.

Persons who send Musters of Tea to the Post in Tins are requested to make flat or square instead of round, so as to be possible to pack round tins securely in bags. It is believed that the tea is more safely in flat tins, which are as round ones to be bulged in.

4 by 3 by 1 1/2 inches is suggested size. The tins should not have sharp corners.

A Pillar Box has been established at the Post Office.

Point Police Station (opposite Home), and another at the South Harbour Department.

The hours of clearance are as follows:

	A.M.
West Point .....	10.00
Harbour Department .....	10.15

Letters arrive at the Post Office 10.30

Correspondence of all kinds: post box before the first clearance on a be in time for the Homeward Mail.

All correspondence for Hongkong

Residents who keep a postage stamp in this Office may post local correspondence in these boxes without stamps, provided the name or recognised device appears on the envelope.

Local correspondence means that from Hong Kong, Bangkok, or the Ports of China.

\* Mails closing at this hour will be the Messenger arrives from the Pillar of



